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Tip

Use the pivot table styles to make sure that the format of your pivot table is not unexpectedly changed during updates and that all pivot tables in your document have the same appearance.

For the number format in the data field, Calc uses the number format that is used in the corresponding cell in the source list. In most cases, this is useful (for example, if the values are in the currency format, then the corresponding cell in the result area is also formatted as currency). However, if the result is a fraction or a percentage, the pivot table does not recognize that this might be a problem; such results must either be without a unit or be displayed as a percentage. Although you can correct the number format manually, the correction stays in effect only until the next update.

Deleting a pivot table

To delete a pivot table, left-click in any cell of the pivot table and select **Data > Pivot Table > Delete** on the Menu bar, or right-click in any cell of the pivot table and select **Delete** in the context menu.

Caution

If you delete a pivot table with an associated pivot chart, the pivot chart is also deleted. Calc opens a dialog box to confirm the pivot chart deletion.

Using pivot table results elsewhere

The problem

Normally, you create a reference to a value by entering the address of the cell that contains the value. For example, the formula `=C6*2` creates a reference to cell C6 and returns the doubled value. If this cell is located in the results area of the pivot table, it contains the result that was calculated by referencing specific categories of the row and column fields. In Figure 290, the cell C6 contains the sum of the sales values of the employee Hans in the category Sailing. The formula in the cell C12 uses this value.

C12					
	A	B	C	D	E
1	Filter				
2					
3	Sum - Sales Value	Category			
4	Employee	Golf	Sailing	Tennis	Total Result
5	Brigitte	\$26,961	\$24,422	\$17,721	\$69,104
6	Hans	\$17,941	\$14,060	\$30,467	\$62,468
7	Kurt	\$28,346	\$20,814	\$27,675	\$76,835
8	Ute	\$36,127	\$30,580	\$28,198	\$94,905
9	Total Result	\$109,375	\$89,876	\$104,061	\$303,312
10					
11					
12			\$28,120		

Figure 290: Formula reference to a cell of the pivot table